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SUBJECT: CAIRO RADIO: LIBYA FIXES JULY 1 "DEADLINE" FOR EXPULSION

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1. FOLLOWING IS LIBYAN NEWS IN EGYPTIAN MEDIA MAY 3.
2. EXPULSION ALL EGYPTIANS. CAIRO'S VOICE OF ARABS  
RADIO NEWS AT 1330 REPORTED QADHAFI HAS INSTRUCTED  
PASSPORT DEPT TO CEASE ISSUING ENTRY VISAS TO ALL EGYPTIANS,  
INCLUDING THOSE WORKING FOR INTERNATIONAL ORGANI-  
ZATIONS, EVEN THOUGH LATTER HAVE "RIGHT" ENTER ANY UN  
MEMBER STATE. RADIO ALLEGES NO RESIDENCE VISAS WILL BE  
RENEWED FOR EGYPTIAN NATIONALS. QADHAFI HAS ORDERED  
"TERMINATION" ALL CONTRACTS OF EGYPTIANS WORKING FOR  
LIBYAN GOVERNMENT AND IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTORS,  
AND HAS FIXED JULY 1 AS DEADLINE FOR DEPORTATION ALL RPT  
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ALL EGYPTIANS, INCLUDING TEACHERS AND PROFESSORS.

3. LABORERS RETURN. PRESS REPORTS 672 EGYPTIAN WORKERS  
ARRIVED IN SALLUM MAY 2, EXPELLED FROM LIBYA, WHERE THEY  
WERE GREETED BY LOCAL GOVERNORATE AUTHORITIES OFFERING  
HEALTH AND FOOD SERVICES. WORKERS REPORTEDLY SAID LIBYAN  
POLICE HAD DENIED THEM FOOD OR DRINK. GOE MINSOCIAL

AFFAIRS SENT LE 5,000 TO MATRUH GOVERNORATE FOR SOCIAL SERVICES FOR RETURNING WORKERS.

4. MAY DAY. PRESS MAY 3 CARRIES BRIEF SUMMARY QADHAFI MAY DAY DIATRIBE AGAINST SADAT.

5. LIBYAN TROOP CONCENTRATIONS. GUMHURIYYA'S LEAD STORY, UNDER SALLUM DATELINE, ALLEGES THAT TRAVELERS COMING FROM LIBYA MAY 2 CONFIRMED THAT LIBYAN TROOPS AND SOVIET NAVY ARE CONCENTRATING ON EGYPTIAN BORDERS. CUBAN SOLDIERS SEEN MOVING TOWARDS VILLAGE OF MUSA'ID, WHICH IS 30 KILOMETERS FROM EGYPTIAN BORDER. TRAVELERS FROM TOBRUK QUOTED AS SAYING THEY HAVE BOTH SEEN SOVIET NAVAL VESSELS THERE AND WITNESSED LIBYAN AND CUBAN FORCES ENGAGED IN PARACHUTE EXERCISES IN THE OPEN SPACE FACING TOBURK HARBOR. AMPHIBIOUS TANKS ALSO REPORTED BEING SIGHTED. AUTOMOBILES COMING FROM BENGHAZI AND TRIPOLI WERE HALTED 10 KILOMETERS OUTSIDE TOBRUK UNTIL MILITARY EXERCISES WERE COMPLETED.

6. ISLAMIC FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE. GOE HAS ANNOUNCED IT WILL NOT ATTEND MAY 16 CONFERENCE IN TRIPOLI.

7. FATE OF CAR. CURRENT ISSUE ROSE AL-YUSUF PREDICTS LIBYA WILL BE EXPELLED FROM CONFEDERATION OF ARAB REPUBLICS (EGYPT/SYRIA/LIBYA) AND NEW FEDERATION WILL BE ANNOUNCED OF EGYPT, SYRIA AND SUDAN. AHRAM MAY 3 REPORTS PRESIDENT SADAT HAS DIRECTED BUILDING HOUSING CAR OFFICES BE CONVERTED BACK INTO HOTEL. (HELIOPOLIS PALACE HOTEL, LUXURY UNCLASSIFIED

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HOTEL IN LANDSCAPED GARDEN SETTING WOULD BE HELPFUL ALLEVIATION OF PERENNIAL EGYPTIAN HOTEL ROOM SHORTAGE PROBLEM.) EILTS

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